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B588-026 (25815.026)Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the above-identified application:

1. (Canceled)

2. (Currently Amended) The apparatus according to claim 1 ~~14~~, wherein said ~~registration means registers~~ storage unit stores a name in association with each item of account information; and

said selection ~~means~~ unit selects a desired item of account information in response to designation of a name.

3. (Currently Amended) The apparatus according to claim 2, wherein said selection ~~means~~ unit displays a list of names that have been registered in said ~~registration means~~ storage unit.

4-7 (Canceled)

8. (Currently Amended) The method according to claim 7 ~~15~~, wherein said ~~registration storage step registers~~ stores a name in association with each item of account information; and

said selection step selects a desired item of account information in response to designation of a name.

9. (Amended) The method according to claim 8, wherein said selection step displays a list of names that have been ~~registered~~ stored in said ~~registration means~~ storing unit.

10-13. (Canceled)

14. (New) A communication apparatus having an E-mail function, comprising:

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a storage unit capable of storing multiple items of account information and storing authentication information in association with each item of account information;

a selection unit adapted to select one item of account information of the plurality thereof;

a setting unit adapted to perform authentication based upon the authentication information when an account is set up based upon an item of account information selected by said selection unit if multiple items of account information have been stored in said storage unit, and to set up an account based upon an item of account information selected by said selection unit; and

a processing unit adapted to process related to E-mail using the account set up by said setting unit,

wherein if only one item of account information has been stored in said storage unit, said setting unit omits authentication based upon said authentication information and sets up an account based upon this account information.

15. (New) A communication apparatus control method for controlling a communication apparatus having an E-mail function, comprising:

a storage step of storing at least one account information in a storing unit capable of storing multiple items of account information and storing authentication information in association with each item of account information;

a selection step of selecting one item of account information of the plurality thereof;

a setting step of performing authentication based upon the authentication information when an account is set up based upon an item of account information selected at said selection step if multiple items of account information have been stored at said storing step, and of

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setting up an account based upon an item of account information selected at said selection step; and

a processing step of executing processing related to E-mail using the account set up at said setting step,

wherein if only one item of account information has been stored at said storage step, said setting step omits authentication based upon said authentication information and sets up an account based upon this account information.

16. (New) A storage medium storing a control program for causing a computer to execute the control method set forth in claims 15.